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National Aspect of Problems of Canadian Farmers

President of Canadian Council of Agriculture, at Annual Meeting in Regina, Reviews Work and Organization of Council and Answers Recent Attacks.

In opening the annual meeting of the Canadian Council of Agriculture at Regina on February 2nd, the President, W. A. Ames, who is also President of the United Farmers of Ontario, briefly reviewed the work and organization of the Council, and vigorously repelled some recent attacks made upon it.

"The Council," said Mr. Ames, "has performed a great service for the farmers in Canada. Financially it has saved or secured for them in the past several years, hundreds of millions of dollars. It has stimulated their thought and provided them with material for study which has enabled them to become better farmers, better neighbors, and better citizens. Although not a political organization it gave in 1917 a lead which resulted in a reorganization of the first time securing anything like adequate representation in the Canadian Parliament, and in introducing higher ideals and higher standards into the public life of the country. In a legislative way it has been instrumental in securing the enactment of such measures as will ameliorate social and economic injustices and will make for a better citizenship. Its record of achievement therefore speaks for itself and I would like to ask those who have persistently criticized the Council and its membership what they have accomplished which will in any measure compare with it.

"The necessity for a farmers' organization, such as the Canadian Council of Agriculture, is constantly being demonstrated. Most of the larger problems which confront the agricultural industry and which solution is necessary to agricultural prosperity, are of a national, or at least a later-provincial character. Transportation questions, including freight, express, lake and ocean rates, the customs tariffs and other forms of federal taxation, the banking, currency and financial systems of the country, the regulation of the grain trade, of the livestock industry, and of other branches of agriculture, the commercial relations of Canada with other countries involving markets for agricultural produce, federal legislation, government control, protection, etc., in all these spheres the interests of the farmers in every province of Canada are usually found to be identical.

"The membership at the present time consists of the United Farmers of Quebec, the United Farmers of Ontario, the United Farmers of Manitoba, the Saskatchewan Grain Growers' Association, the Grain Growers' Guide, the United Farmers of Alberta, Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company, the United Grain Growers, and the United Farmers of Ontario Co-operative Company. At meetings of the Council each of the companies is entitled to four representatives consisting of its executive or their representative. In addition, the provincial associations are each entitled to five representatives one at least of whom must be a woman. The

John Naismith Reaches Finals in Both Events at Chisook 'Spiegel

Wins Grand Challenge and Gets Second in Merchants Competition

"Running shot" John and his "six foot" Scandinavians gave a demonstration of the gentle art of "rock heaving" at the Chisook bonspiel that will long be remembered. They reached the finals of the Grand Challenge and Merchants events by a series of games in which they always had the long end of the score and demonstrated very clearly that they not only liked the "running shot" game, but could play it to advantage. In the only game they lost, the final of the Merchants, they were down one point.

The personnel of the rink was S. Gullekson, lead; E. Gullekson, 2nd; Tom Hove, 3rd, and John Naismith (himself) skip.

The Grand Challenge cup is now on display in the News window. The prizes won by this rink were a magnificent clock set in the challenge and a handsome, second in the Merchants.

Wade's rink won second prize in the Consolation Series, a case containing a fountain pen and eversharp pencil, John Hunt, lead; Dr. J. P. Kerr, 2nd; B. H. Dial, 3rd and Art Wade, skip.

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Letter to Editor

"To The Editor: Many anxious farmers are asking what does all this talk of re-organization mean. What is the matter with the organization that we have been using for the last twenty-five years? Mr. Editor, it is to answer the above question that I have asked for valuable space in your paper.

Agriculture, like every other industry, must in order to keep pace with the times, make the necessary changes in the systems. A plan or system that worked very well twenty-five years ago is out of date now, therefore the new system that is being planned will be up to date and more responsive to our needs.

The old system was planned twenty-five years ago and worked very well while the farmers were only organizing to carry on social functions such as Pink Teas, Dances and Picnics, but since the farmers are beginning to learn that they have some very important economic problems to solve, they require more efficient organization than what they have had in the past.

It must be remembered that we farmers are now undertaking to do big things such as the responsibility of governing our

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Whatever doubts may have been entertained during the first experiment in 1924, regarding the future of fur farming in the United States, have been dispelled. The industry is now firmly established, has indeed branched out into many new fields, and the breeding of the fox was undertaken. According to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics in 1924, the number of fur farms in the United States was 1,550, of which 1,466 were devoted to raising foxes and 81 to other furbearing animals. In 1925 the number of fur farms was 1,922; the number of fur farms in 1926 was 2,129; fox farms by 257, and other farms by 36, the bureau reported. In his report on the fur industry in the United States, the author of the Department of Agriculture records a further decided increase in the farms raising fur-bearing animals. In 1926, 1,922 fox ranches are reported. In 1927, they have taken up, fifteen; nineteen, marten; thirty-two, fisher; two, lynx; four, bobcat; one, fisher; one, fisher; one, raccoon; four, coyotes; six, muskrat; and, at least, twenty, rabbits. He also reports that the Department is constantly receiving inquiries from various sources regarding the raising of various kinds of furbearing animals, with particular reference to the raising of foxes and chinchilla rabbits.

Brandon Man Has Over 600 Pure-Bred

Cattle On His Farms

Constituting what is considered the finest herds of the American West, the 500-acre, two-hundred-acre and 100-acre farms of cattleman Angus Craig have a wintering place in the Brandon district by J. M. Meigs, or it is the largest herd ever wintered by this well-known breeder, and the largest herd of cattle ever wintered through the winter months in this district by a single owner.

The main herd is located at the Glenmacnock farm, situated just west of the city of Brandon. The other herds are spread over ten different farm units. On each of these farms a separate herd of breeding cows is maintained, varying from 40 up to 250 head. The wintering of the cattle is done in the open range, and the wintering conditions have been ideal all the time, and for that reason more than passing success is being met in successfully lifting the cattle.

At the present time the headed for the various exhibition circuits this coming year, and many more honors will be added to the Glenmacnock barn through their showings. There are also many other herds that have won the reputation across America that this

Fast Rubber Transmission Belts

Largest Rubber Transmission Belts in the World Are Made in Canada

The largest rubber belts in the world, both conveyor and transmission, are made in Canada, stated A. B. Ifaunay, manager and secretary of the Rubber Association of Canada, in reviewing the activities of this industry for the past year. The value of Canadian belt exported was \$615,518. One million more automobile tires were made last year; half a million more were exported than during the preceding year; and the total manufacture of tires amounted to over three million. In addition three and a quarter million pairs of Canadian tennis shoes were exported in 1925 with a value of \$4,125,516.

Show Large Increase in Both Quantity
and Value For 1925 Over

Previous Year

Total wheat exported from Canada to all countries during the six months ended January 21st last, was 178,154,418 bushels, valued at \$253,172,860. During the corresponding period of a year ago, total exports of Canadian wheat were 96,672,962 bushels, valued at \$113,593,190. Shipments of wheat to the United Kingdom in the period under review totalled 436,967,237 bushels, valued at \$191,810,234, as compared with 75,367,309 bushels, worth \$115,735,620, in the same period of the preceding year.

Robert M. L. Hogg, *et al.*

To Be Established at Alberta University

Announcement is made that the establishment of complete equipment for wheat milling and baking laboratories at the Alberta University, has been completed. The resources of the university laboratory will be devoted wholly to a research programme improved at a recent conference of chemists and agronomists from the prairie universities, called by the National Research Council. The important item of this programme under way at present is the investigation of the quality of wheat produced in different districts and of practical methods for its improvement.

Canning Industry in Northern Brit Columbia is in Flourishing Condition

Indications are that there will be an idle cannery in the northern district of British Columbia this year and that a number of new canneries will be erected. In addition to the mentioned recently to be built Queen Charlotte Island the erect of new canneries or re-opening or extension of existing ones, is planned Captain's Cove, Prince Rupert, May, Somerville and at the Kuma cannery on the Bass River.

A Million Dollar Plant to be Erected Vancouver

Construction of a new mill at Vancouver at a cost of more than \$1,600,000, to have a capacity of 250,000 ft of lumber and 200,000 shingles, will commence at once, G. G. Johnson, general manager of the Capilano Timber Company, announced. A railway connecting the company's timber lands in the Capilano Valley, with its new mill, and a large wharf already under construction.

Confidence in the fairness of the elections of the world court and in belief that the English-speaking nations will exert the most powerful influence for the reign of the law against the reign of force, was expressed in an address by the British ambassador, Sir Esme Howard, before the "English-speaking Union of Baltimore, Md."

Will Raise Muskrats

On Extensive Scale

Over 8,000 Acres at Swan Lake, B.C.

Acquired For This Purpose

The largest muskrat farm in the world will be established at Swan Lake, forty miles northwest of Quesnel, B.C., according to J. E. McFarland, representative of the Musquash Farms, Limited, of Vancouver.

Late last fall his company acquired 8,129 acres of low-lying ground surrounding Swan Lake, also taking in the adjoining meadows and streams already dotted with numerous muskrat and beaver houses, and which have given a fair living to a number of trappers for some years.

of the Pea^o River, is going in to the property early, and will make arrangements for the location of the necessary buildings, and will also line up the right-of-way for the twenty-eight miles of wire-net fencing, which will be proceeded with as soon as weather conditions permit.

Total Value of Production For 192
Placed at \$57,950,340

amounted to 221,778,867 dozen, valued at \$57,595,246, being the highest total in regard to quantity and value, recorded since 1920, according to a report of the bureau of statistics. Production, together with value, by province was as follows: Prince Edward Island, 4,076,287 doz., \$890,183; Nova Scotia 3,867,237 doz., \$559,729; New Brunswick, 4,136,768 doz., \$910,939; Quebec, 32,041,625 doz., \$8,350,823; Ontario, 32,069,257 doz., \$26,705,786; Manitoba, 16,429,482 doz., \$3,319,191; Saskatchewan, 22,660,248 doz., \$4,675,376; Alberta, 26,764,959 doz., \$5,818,531; British Columbia, 14,470,550 doz., \$4,053,424; Indian Reserves 324,694 doz., \$68,125.

breadnaughts of the air, bristling with

As a ward off aeroplane attacks, underlie the action of the house naval committee, providing for construction of two classes of fleet light aircraft ships in the \$160,000,000 naval expansion programme it recently reported to the house.

A glimpse of monsters that have been designed, along the committee by Rear-Admiral William Moffett, navy air chief, shows seven of the new 10-caliber machine guns, 18 thirty-caliber, and one of the post-war one-pounder automatics, together with 7,000 rounds of ammunition for this weapon, as a part of the regular military load of each ship.

"The guns are so situated that an enemy aircraft cannot approach from any direction or angle without being met by the concentration of fire," Admiral Moffett says.

Plans for a 6,000,000 cubic footer

calculated to show the value of such a ship as an aerial troop transport. She would have a capacity of 750 men

"In this air vessel," the admiral continued, "indicated with 30 per cent. helium and 10 per cent. combustible gas, 500 miles, each with 45 pounds of equipment, can be carried from San Francisco to Hawaii in 20 hours, with a 20-hour reserve of fuel.

"Forty rigids of this capacity could move a division over this distance."

New Agreement Gives a Tremendous Stimulus to British Migration

Cable advices show that hundreds of applications for visas received in London from prospective settlers. Owing to the fact that the agreement applies only to farmers, farm labourers and domestics, a considerable number of the applications have to be rejected, but, nevertheless, it is certain that there will be a tremendous improvement in the volume of immigration this year.

The Ottawa department has had a

C. L. Amery, secretary for the dominions, in which he quoted figures showing a very large percentage of rejection.

The information received indicates that Mr. Amery's figures were no right.

The actual number of applications and rejections of families applying for admission into Canada as at January 31, 1926, were: Applications, 1,476; rejections, 391.

Final figures of the single men and women who have been rejected were

Makes Good Windbreaks

One of the benefits derived from the planting on the prairies is the protection afforded against drying winds in summer. A growth of carnegian or willow enables the farmer to produce all the ordinary vegetables and small fruits. While one is waiting for trees to grow a shelter can be obtained by planting Russian sunflowers. The rows of these warm plants about six inches apart will check the winds of late summer when the effects of drought are most likely to be felt. The sunflowers need to be planted each year, but will serve good purpose while a more permanent windbreak is coming on. Either as fodder or for the seeds they furnish the sunflowers are worth the trouble taken in growing them.

Fifty million bushels of the 1930 prairie crop will move to Vancouver for reshipment during the present crop season.

Will Raise Muskates
The leasing of Muskeg Lakes in Northern Alberta for the purpose of raising muskrats for the fur trade, is a new industry that is under way.

Western Canadian broadcast stations in the Canadian National Airways continent-wide radio chain includes programmes to be given during March which are worthy of special mention. It is the aim of the company to set a high standard for radio broadcasting by all its stations, and with this end in view arrangements were made with some of the best musicians in the Dominion to broadcast from C.N.R. stations in the west during the month of March.

The lower pictures show the famous Hart House String Quartet, of Toronto, composed of Genza de Krez violin; Harry Adaskin, second violin; Milton Blackstone, viola; Boris Burg, 'cello.

Inserts in the quartet group show Reginald Stewart, Canadian violinist and conductor (left), of Toronto, and A. Leslie Garside, baritone of Winnipeg (right). Mr. Stewart is one of the outstanding pianists in Canada.

CNRW, the first Canadian National broadcasting station opened in the west, celebrates its second anniversary on March 21st for which date special programme has been arranged, including several novelty features for which prizes will be given, and an address by W. D. Robb, vice-president in charge of radio for the system. The top picture shows the handsome suite of CNRW, situated in the Fort Garry Hotel, and Mr. Robb at the left.

"Clan Donald" Colonists

One Hundred Cottages and One Hundred Barns to be Erected on C.P.R. at Vermilion, Alta.

One hundred cottages and one hundred barns will be erected for the Canadian Pacific Railway at Vermilion, Alberta. These homes will house the "Clan Donald" colonists, who are being brought to Alberta by the company's department of colonization and development, in conjunction with the British Government and the Scottish Immigrant Aid Society. The unique feature of these new buildings is that the lumber is grooved and one piece interlocks with another, so that no technical skill is required to erect the houses.

Canada Occupies Second Place in World in Value of Exports

Per Capita
 Canadians at the present time are exporting their products to a hundred and forty countries and shipments to a hundred of these countries are substantial. Canada now occupies second place among the countries of the world in the value of exports per capita, as against seventh place in 1913. *London, Aug. 22.*

at the close of last year holds second place in percentage of increase in export trade.

Wants To Live Up World
Believing "this planet needs some life," Leo Novitsky, a stenographer who recently won \$500 in a contest, has donated the entire sum to the Jewish Community Centre for the purchase of bathing suits and Charleston dance music.

Dry newspapers make good polishers for windows, mirrors and ranges.

Aroused by unprovoked attacks upon teachers in rural schools, the Government of Manitoba has under consideration amendment of the Public Schools Act as a means of affording greater protection to women teachers. Hon. Charles Cannon, minister of education, has announced.

WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

The Belgian Senate has ratified the debt funding agreement with the United States.

Cardinal Bill, cousin of Cardinal Gaspari, papal secretary of state, is dead.

The Spanish Government has tacitly agreed to support Poland in her claim for a permanent seat on the League of Nations Council.

Lithuania has asked the intervention of the League of Nations against Poland in connection with recent frontier incidents.

King Albert, of Belgium, will preside over the opening session of the International Rotary Clubs at Oxford, in June. Seven thousand Rotarians are expected to attend.

King Rudolf has accepted an invitation from King George to visit London. He hopes to make the trip early in June after the opening of the Rzytz Parliament.

Readers have been barred from Madrid bullfights. The Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals obtained this ruling from the mayor, who is a lover of horses.

Commander Franco, who brought fame and glory to his country by his repel fight from Spain to Argentina, returned to Spain, with his fighting companions, aboard a warship.

A proposal to repudiate Belgium's foreign debts contracted before the armistice, and to pay post-war debts on the rate of the Dawes plan, receipts from Germany, was introduced in parliament by Senator Charles Magnette.

The dirigible Norges, with which Raold Amundsen plans to journey to the North Pole, has carried out a successful test-hour trial flight over Rome. The blimp, carrying thirty persons, travelled over Rome several times.

Dr. Henry Spallinger, who claims to have discovered a method for curing tuberculosis in man and beast, is re-creating on the Riviera from an illness believed to have been due to breathing tubercle bacilli in his Geneva laboratory, says a dispatch.

The four Australians, who had been invited to the Canadian wheat pool to send a delegation to Australia in August, J. M. McDonald, of Adelaide, South Australia, says that following the conference at St. Paul, Minn., he decided that the Canadian and Australian wheat pools could work together.

Reputations Fascist Government

Pope Denies Mussolini's Right to Enact Ecclesiastical Reform Laws

Pope Pius has repudiated the Fascist Government's right to enact ecclesiastical reform legislation. During recent months there have been persistent rumors that an accord between the Mussolini and the Vatican was in the making, but the Pope's repudiation, contained in a letter to Cardinal Gaspari, indicates that the Pope has no compromise on the part of the church were without foundation. His holiness addressed Gaspari regarding ecclesiastical legislation which soon is to be advocated by the government. The Pope remarks that several religious experts have been invited by the government to participate in drafting the laws.

"The fact that clerical experts have been invited may cause the belief that it is in agreement with the Holy See," wrote the Pope, "but no agreement exists and these experts have been asked to mandate from us."

"Regarding legislation which belongs to the sacred power of God," wrote the Pope, "we declare that on such subjects we cannot recognize to others any rights to legislate unless through conventional negotiations and legitimate agreements with us."

"No enforceable negotiations nor legitimate agreement can, or will, occur so long as the iniquitous conditions imposed upon the Holy See and Roman pontiff exist."

Unto the End

"By the way," said a lawyer who was drawing up a will, "I notice that you've named six bankers to be your executors. Wouldn't you rather choose some friends with whom you are on better terms?"

"No; that's all right," was the quick reply. "Those fellows have carried me so long they might as well finish the job."—Boston Transcript.

Another Game Reserve

Had J. E. Percival, minister of colonization, mines and fisheries, has brought in a measure to provide that the island of Anticosti in the Gulf of St. Lawrence, shall be a game reserve, shall be a protected reserve for the acclimatizing, breeding and conserving of all kinds of fish and game.

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Was Nephew Of Livingstone

Relative of Famous Explorer Dies in Ninety-First Year

Another link relating the great African explorer, Dr. David Livingstone, to the present century was severed with the death at his residence, 68 Queen's Drive, Weston, Ont., of Neil Mackenzie Livingstone, his eldest nephew.

The late Mr. Livingstone was in his 91st year and was, therefore, in early manhood when the explorer of his famous uncle was at the height of his career. In 1871, when Stanley was leading his relief expedition into the heart of Africa, deceased was thirty-two years of age, and along with the rest of the world was awaiting eagerly the dispatches announcing progress. Two years later news came of the explorer's death in Africa, although his journals were saved and given to the world.

Has To Abandon Plan

Snow Motors Not Feasible For Hauling Supplies For Polar Expedition

The attempt of Alexander M. Smith, to haul supplies for the Wilkins' trans-polar expedition to Point Barrow by snow motor has been called off by Captain George H. Wilkins.

Smith, started from Neuma, near Fairbanks, Alaska, with 15 tons of gasoline and supplies on ten sledges. The two snow motors used to haul the sledges have broken down repeatedly and have been able to negotiate only 70 miles in two weeks of the 700-mile trail to Point Barrow in time to be of assistance to the flights, Wilkins said.

The explorer believes the local aviation field can be enlarged sufficiently to permit the large motorized expedition to take off when fully loaded.

Colony Of Hungarian Nobility

Several Titled Hungarian Families Take Up Land in Manitoba

As a result of the efforts of the Canadian Colonization Association, Manitoba is developing a colony of Hungarian nobility. In 1925, after the conclusion of their estates in Transylvania, Julius von Hossok de Zolna, colonel of the Imperial Hungarian Hussars, and Count George Paszty, came to Western Canada to inspect the possibilities of the Canadian Pacific Railway and secured a section of land near Manitowish, which they have developed into a first rate dairy farm. Three additional families of the Hungarian nobility joined them shortly afterwards and now Count Bela Smarag, of Budapest, has secured an adjoining farm.

A New Oil Industry

Rattensack Oil Used in Medicine Brings Mexicans \$100 a Gallon

Rattensack, a kind of gellan has brought a new industry to Texas. Creso long has been known as an oil center, but this is an entirely new phase of the business. The oil is used in medicine.

This is the time for harvesting the rattensack crop, because the rattensacks are dormant. A few more days of dynamite are required. Search is made among the hills for a den of rattensacks. The den is dynamited, and the snakes are brought out. They are then rendered into oil.

One snake produces only a small quantity, but sometimes several hundred snakes are found in one den.

Would Be Unusual Case

Motorist Alleges Inscription On Boy's Tombstone Is Libelous

Can a tombstone inscription be libelous? Can a tombstone inscription be libelous? Can a tombstone inscription be libelous? Can a tombstone inscription be libelous? Can a tombstone inscription be libelous?

Blanche Bellver, of Litchfield, Ill., may put the question up to a jury if she decides to bring suit against the relatives of a six-year-old boy who was killed when he ran in front of her automobile.

The inscription on the boy's tombstone reads: "Little Boy, killed by Blanche Bellver, Oct. 1, 1925."

Mrs. Bellver is threatening to bring suit on the ground that the epitaph is untrue. A court jury will determine if all blame for the little boy's death.

Is a Lie Ever Justified

Yes, when it redeems a state of things worse than itself.

A doctor often has to deceive his patients in order to save their lives. If I met a man chasing a woman with the intent to kill her, and he asked me the way she had gone, I should feel justified in misdirecting him.

Other instances will suggest themselves, such as a Heretic's denunciation of John the Baptist, who would not let him be killed.

Yet these extraordinary cases only show the paramount necessity of telling the truth.—Rev. D. S. Parker (Catholic).

New Lieut.-Governor of B. C.

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Germany's Industrial Situation

People Recovering From Poverty Endured Since the War

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One authority assures me that Prussia is killed by the French is late. During the occupation of the Ruhr, the French displayed the same tactlessness which has been shown in such a 'chance' as it is to recover from the terrible poverty they have endured since the war. Everybody works hard, but there is a great shortage of capital, and the immense Teutonic efforts are to be made to obtain it, not from private loans, but from the German people and the banks.



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ON THE AIR

What is Doing in the World of Radio

An opinion from corporation counsel in Chicago holds that operation of radio bond speaker late at night is disorderly conduct.

The radio crystal receiving set, which confuses reception mainly to the nearest broadcasting station, will be the predominant type used in the British Isles.

The newest and most powerful radio broadcasting station in Northern Alberta is being erected in King Edward Park, Edmonton, by the International Radio Broadcasters' Association.

Mayor Mitchell, of Windsor, is sponsoring a new plan for the entertainment of patrons of the principal Windsor parks this summer. He proposes to have installed radio sets with amplifiers. The possibilities are endless and the cost low, the mayor says.

Two-way radio-telephone conversation across the Atlantic with England reached a high point of perfection recently, officials of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company of New York reported. "Amateur listeners" heard the conversation on 12,000 metre wave lengths both ways.

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As pastor of the world's only altar cathedral, which has neither length, breadth or thickness, and is without pillars or columns or balustrades, Rev. Paul Rader, of Chicago, mentions his congregation by the tens of thousands. Rader heads the National Radio Chapter there and every Sunday he conducts daily services over station WIT, which is under contract for 10 years for this purpose.

Woman Leaves Three Millions For Animals

English Lady Wills Fortune For Bettering Their Condition

Her love for animals led an English lady, Mrs. S. M. Grove-Cont, of London, to leave practically her whole fortune of over \$2,000,000 for the betterment of the condition of animals. Her bequest included: \$250,000 to the People's Dispensary for Sick Animals.

\$10,000 to the R.S.P.C.A., on condition that the chairman and members of committees shall be anti-vivisectionists and opposed to sports involving the death of pig, deer, fox, hare, rabbit or any bird, fish or any other animal; and shall use every means to abolish such sports.

\$25,000 to the Anti-Vivisection Hospital, Battersea.

After various other bequests, the residue of her property is left on trust for animals, to be used for opposing sport and protecting animals.

She abhorred hunting and kindred sports, and was strong in her denunciation of those who spend hours in harrising a fox or a stag to death. The wanton destruction of game as a means of sport was also among her abhorrences.

The legacy of \$20,000 to the R.S.P.C.A., the governors were compelled to decline on account of conditions attached to the bequest.

Those who knew the deceased, described her as "A charming little old lady, with a kind, motherly, and unassuming heart." Her large fortune was inherited, and came from the woolen trade.

Canada's Electric Power Development

Holds Second Position Among Nations Of The World in Amount of Energy Developed

Canada now leads the world in the generation of electric power per capita and second in the amount of energy developed, having a per capita generation of 875 kw. hours. Switzerland comes next with 564 and United States third with 514. The total installed capacity of electric power in Canada is 5,099,152, 000 kw. hours, which places Canada in second position among the nations of the world in regard to power developed.

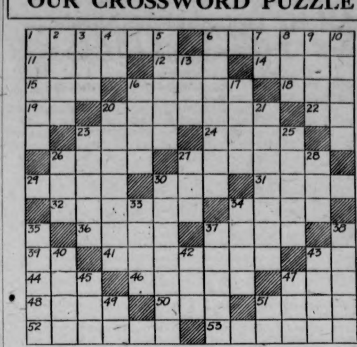
Bays Famous Blacksmith Shop

The Old Caledonian blacksmith shop, situated in the Cheatham Hill district, Mass., immortalized by Longfellow in his "The Village Blacksmith Shop," has been purchased by Henry Ford.

It is a plan of Mr. Ford that the building shall be added to his collection of buildings and objects of historical interest in the vicinity of Wyandham, Mich.

From the blacksmith's viewpoint, marriage is a failure because he fails to marry.

OUR CROSSWORD PUZZLE



Horizontal

- 1-Property.
- 2-Believing.
- 3-Carriage.
- 4-Grass.
- 5-Musical instrument.
- 6-Suffix meaning belonging to.
- 7-To skin.
- 8-A case of words.
- 9-Towards.
- 10-Ons who speak.
- 11-Complete (abbr.).
- 12-Heavenly body.
- 13-Covers with ice.
- 14-To come into existence.
- 15-City in Ireland.
- 16-City in Brazil.
- 17-A meadow (prov. Eng.).
- 18-To shut close.
- 19-Agriculture.
- 20-Employer.
- 21-A prescribed guide for conduct.
- 22-To make indistinct.
- 23-Hispanic.
- 24-A small insect.
- 25-A state.

Vertical

- 1-gives forth.
- 2-a store pit for green fodder.
- 3-Small mound.
- 4-Artillery.
- 5-Come in.
- 6-Agriculture.
- 7-In such manner.
- 8-Iterate.
- 9-Hispanic.
- 10-A state.

Twisted line of two strands.

- 12-Part of verb "to be."
- 13-One-quarter of a bushel.
- 14-Indian.
- 15-The outer garment of the Roman man, worn over the tunic.
- 16-Encountered.
- 17-Near.
- 18-Halfy piece of timber.
- 19-Idealistic.
- 20-One droll manner.
- 21-Discovered.
- 22-The lower part of a ship's under-water body.
- 23-A measure of length.
- 24-A card game.
- 25-A note.
- 26-Agriculture.
- 27-Small rug.
- 28-Hispanic.
- 29-The lower part of a ship's under-water body.

A Stabilized Easter

Fixed Date May Be Nearer

Easter falls this year on April 4. This makes February 17th Wednesday. The great Christian festival comes in 1926 about midway between the earliest and latest dates on which it may occur—March 22 and April 25 respectively. The Vatican authorities contemplate establishment of a fixed date for Easter. Should they do this it is practically certain that all western Christians would accept the change, and since the eastern Christians have generally adopted the Gregorian calendar they would be likely to do so.

It is a highly important matter, yet the authorities of 1926 discussed seriously the establishment of Easter as a fixed feast this reform may be postponed for years longer without causing surprise.

In the agitation for revision of the calendar ecclesiastical usage plays a highly important part, yet the convenience of maintaining independent church and secular calendars is obvious, and with scientists, churchmen and statesmen generally agreed that a simpler calendar is desirable the installation of a fixed Easter is the appreciably nearer.

Old Letter Discovered

Painted on Silk and Contains 13,000 Chinese Characters

With tragic history attached to it, an old letter has been presented to the Pope by the Vicar Apostolic of Seoul. The letter is painted on silk and contains 13,000 Chinese characters. It was written in 1891 to the Bishop of Peking suggesting plans to have the persecuted Church in Corea. It was intercepted by the police, and both writer and receiver were arrested.

Missionaries in China recovered the letter about thirty years ago when the police archives were dispersed.

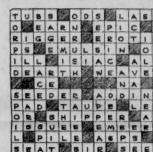
Soviets Will Not Enter Switzerland

Russia declined to participate in the Alvarado radio conference to be held under the auspices of the League of Nations, March 25. Russia's reply to the invitation reads: "We are much interested in the conference, but cannot participate unless it is held outside of Switzerland, because Switzerland has been boycotted by the Soviets since the murder of M. Vorovsky."

Saving Huge Sums

The secretary of the Dominion fuel board, C. D. Hotchkiss, has pointed out that the importation of American hard coal for the production of electricity in Canada imported around 2,500,000 tons, and in 1925 the importation had fallen to 2,600,000 tons. So Canada is saving huge sums of money by being forced to look for some substitute for an article—Kingston Standard.

Answer to Last Week's Puzzle



An Expensive Business

Photographing Eclipse of Sun Cost \$30,000 a Minute

Photographing the total eclipse of the sun an approximate cost of \$30,000 a minute was the experience enjoyed by three prominent passengers on the C.P.R. steaming ship Empress of Canada which departed from Vancouver recently from the Orient.

The scientists, Captain L. Domitich, of Yale University, and two Harvard astronomical students, Wilson Powell and Adrian Rubel, are members of the Swatmore College expedition who journeyed to the island of Sumatra to photograph the latest eclipse of January 14.

On the results of these photographs taken under the direction of Dr. J. A. Miller, well known American astronomer, hangs the fate of the Einstein theory, Captain Domitich explained.

The plates which were sent to New York will be developed at the Swatmore laboratories, Philadelphia, and the success or failure of the photographs should be known in about two months time.

Change in Direction

Of Japanese Current

Earthquake Three Years Ago Believed To Be Responsible

The Japanese Current, which is believed to have some connection with the earthquake which caused the change in the direction of the Japanese current. This winter, for the first time since 1923, there has not been any snow. Days are sunny. With the temperature ranging around 45 and 50 degrees.

Good House Customers

Last year the better sent from Canada to the Netherlands amounted to 252,000 pounds, having a value of \$28,450—a very substantial increase over the returns for the preceding year. The Hollanders are certainly Canada's second best customers as regards home.

In the straits of Florida the gulf stream is 32 miles wide.

Anything Wrong?
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I am Buk
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 is an Adaptation of This Story

CHAPTER XXXV.—Continued.
 Something greater than mere curiosity began to take possession of Carvel. A whimsical humor became a fixed and deeper thought, an unreasonable anticipation that was accompanied by a certain thrill of subdued excitement. By the time they reached the old beaver-pond the mystery of the strange adventure had a firm hold on him. From Beaver-pond, Carvel and Ree had led him to the creek along which Watkyn, the black bear, had faded, and thence straight to the Grey Loam.

It was early afternoon of a wonderful day. It was so still that the rippling waters of spring, singing in a thousand rills and streams, filled the forests with a droning music. In the warm sun the crimson bark-shed glowed like blood. In the open spaces the air was scented with the perfume of blue flowers. In the trees and bushes small birds were building their nests. After the long sleep of winter Nature was at work in all her glory. It was Unekepahtin, the Mating Moon, the Home-Building Moon—and Ree was going home.

Not to mate—but to Nepeese. He knew that she was there now, perhaps at the very edge of the chasm where he had seen her last. They would be playing together again soon, as they had played yesterday, and the day before, and the day before that, and in his joy he barked up into Carvel's face, and urged him to greater speed. Then they came to the clearing, and once more Ree stood like a rock. Carvel saw the changed nature of the beaver, and a moment later the two graves under the tall spruce. He began to understand as his eyes returned slowly to the water, the pertinence of a great availing roar in his throat, and after a moment or two he said softly, and with an effort:

"Hoy, I guess you're home."
 Ree did not reply. With his head up and his nose lifted to the blue sky he was sniffing the air. What was it that came to him with the perfume of the forests and the green meadow? Why was it that he trembled now as he stood there? What was stirring in the air? Carvel asked himself, and his quivering eyes tried to answer the questions. Nothing. There was death here—death and death and death, and all that, and all at once, there came from Ree a strange cry—a low, human cry—and he was gone like the wind.

Carvel had thrown off his pack. He dropped his little bundle to him, and followed Ree. He did not utter a swift straight across the open, into the

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He went on to the ledge. The little open space in which they had built their hidden wigwam was flooded with sunlight from the west. The light was still there, it did not seem very much changed to him. And rising from the ground in front of the ledge was what had come to him faintly on the hill air—the smoke of a man's fire. Over that fire was hanging a person, and it did not strike Ree as amazing, and at all unexpected, that this person should have great shining trails down her back. He watched her, and at all unexpected, that this person should have great shining trails down her back. He watched her, and at all unexpected, that this person should have great shining trails down her back.

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was not altogether the tanning of wind and sun and storm, and a glow in his eyes that had not been there for five years, perhaps never before. His eyes were of Nepeese.

"Tomorrow or the next day I am going to Lac-Hain," he said, a hard and bitter note back of the gentle words in his voice. "I will come back until I have—killed him."

The Willow looked straight into the fire. For a time there was a silence broken only by the crackling of the flames, and in that silence Carvel's fingers were aware of and of the silk-rop strands of the Willow's hair. His thoughts flashed back. What a chance he had missed that day on Ree, McTaggart's trap-line—if he had only known! His jaws set hard as he saw in the red-hot heart of the fire the mental picture of the day when the Pacine from Lac Hain had killed Pierrot. She had told him the whole story. Her light. Her Hungo to what he had thought was certain death in the iron throat of the chasm. Her miraculous escape from the waters—and how she had discovered, nearly dead, by the time the fire had died, when Pierrot out of pity had allowed to hunt in part of his domain.

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Bears Acted As Judges

Proved Charge of Cruelty Against Keeper Was False

In a case recently tried before a tribunal at Berne, Switzerland, the principal witnesses were two bears. Their Grossenbacher, keeper of a bear pit known to tourists throughout the world, brought legal action for defamation against three former employees who had accused him of cruelty toward animals, which charge the keeper strenuously denied, and which was very much of bears.

When the court opened, a man brought in two bears. As soon as the three accused appeared the animals began to growl angrily and wanted to retreat to a corner, evidently expecting chastisement. When Grossenbacher entered the court the bears rushed at him, expressing their joy in grunts, looking at him with their hands and attempting to give him a strong animal hug, which the smiling keeper had some difficulty avoiding.

The bears, he judged the case, said the magistrate. "I require no further evidence."

He fined the three accused, with whom the court was cleared, the animals would not leave their beloved keeper, who took his pets home through the streets, amid cheers from the crowd.

Her Nerves Were 'All Broken Up'
She Could Not Sleep
 Mrs. David Gallagher, 37 Lynbrook Ave., Hamilton, Ont., writes: "My nerves were all broken up and I could not sleep at night. I would have to get up out of bed and lie down for an hour or so at a time."

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Soviet Russia's Red's Fate
 40,400 Imprisoned, 4,300 Tortured Or Executed Outside Russia

President G. D. Zinoviev, speaking before the sixth plenary congress of the executive committee of the third international at Moscow, made the news showing that 40,400 revolutionaries had been imprisoned, 4,300 wounded and 4,300 tortured or executed outside Russia.

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Names Restricted Area
 An area in the New Westminster and Yale land districts of British Columbia has been set aside by order of the government as a restricted area in the campaign to eradicate bovine tuberculosis.

Nearly all children are subject to worms, and many are born with them. Signs often suffering by using Moller Gworm's Worm Expeller, an excellent remedy.

"I want some paper," said a small boy to his mother. "What kind of paper?" "Better make it by paper; I'm going to make a kite."

Minard's Liniment for St. Andrew

Common Cold Is Dangerous

People in Error Who Consider It Just Simple Malady

Captain Harold Amundsen discoverer of the South Pole and navigator of the northwest passage, has been ordered to bed "a very sick man" because he refused to take a cold seriously.

How such a sturdy man could have contracted such a malady is in itself a puzzle to the lay mind. We are inclined to picture him as having acquired immunity by long marches into the polar regions, but it is the paradox of the common cold that people accustomed to living out in the great open and frozen spaces are liable to the moment they get back to civilization and steam heat.

The tramp who has spent most of his nights sleeping under a bark-worm fence is likely to catch a cold if someone gives him the price and he spends it on a good warm bed.

When well and strong and feeling fine we seldom think about doctors, and if we do it is generally with the comforting thought that medical science has conquered almost everything but cancer.

But let us catch a common cold and fall to shaking it off in a day, and we set to thinking of the thousands of years which the millions of medical men have failed to find a speedy cure for so simple a malady.

To which the profession replies that it is so simple and may prove a very serious malady if not taken in time, and that the best way to take it is to take the best advice. It is not what the doctor does not know, but what the patient thinks he knows himself that is the danger in a common cold. A man with a cold is a sick man and may become sicker if he neglects it.

Admiral Togo Exceeded

Age Japanese May Carry Case When Visiting Imperial Court

Admiral Count Togo, commander of the Japanese fleet which destroyed the Russian squadron in the battle of the Sea of Japan in May, 1905, now enfeebled by his 80 years, has been granted special permission to carry a cane when visiting the Imperial Court.

The carrying of sticks of any sort in the presence of the nation's rulers is forbidden by court etiquette, but an exception in the case of the aged seer was made by formal ruling of the minister of the imperial household.

Minard's Liniment for sore throat

Lethbridge Northern

Irrigation District

Crop Survey For 1925 Shows a Remarkable Improvement

Preliminary estimates gathered in the crop survey of the Lethbridge Northern Irrigation District for 1925 show remarkable improvement, as compared with 1924. The first year of the operation of the project with the water on the land. The survey shows that the per acre value of soil products on irrigated lands was \$17.45, as compared with \$15.19 in the year 1924. There were under crop in the district 36,588 acres of irrigated land, as against 31,000 in 1924. The gross return from the 21,600 acres was \$354,767, while the gross return in 1924 was \$310,762.

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A mushroom measuring more than a yard in circumference, and still growing, is said to be in the possession of a woman living at Marone, near Rouen, France.

It's good to live only a moment at a time. It isn't for you and me to lay plans; we're nothing to do but to obey and trust—George Elliot.

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 flavor of fresh mint gives a new thrill to every bite. Wrigley's is good and good for you.

Trans-Canada Highway
 Completion of the Manitoba section of the trans-Canada highway will be undertaken this year. It reports of engineers surveying the proposed route are favorable. Thirty-five miles of the proposed route remains uninitiated. The Ontario Government is pushing forward its end of the road from Kenora.

NABOB
 NABOB TEA
 Jealous it should be

Colds Are Not Necessary Evils
 Observation of One Fundamental Rule of Health Prevents Them

Whether one catches cold easily is largely a question of physical condition. A general vitality is the resistance to disease is weak and at such a time a cold is easy to contract

Contagion is frequently the cause of such a state of health, with its attendant headaches, blueness, headaches and general languor. Prolonged exposure to the weather, irregular elimination are picked up by the blood and carried to every corner of the body. They weaken your resistance to disease.

Thousands of people who have suffered from self-poisoning in this way have found that Nujol, the internal cleanser, makes both constipation sure and easy.

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Little Help For This Week
 Whose trusteth in the Lord, happy is he—Prov., xvi, 20.

All as God wills, who wisely heeds To give or to withhold, And knoweth more of all my needs, Than all my prayers have told.

We are in God's hands, Brother—Shakespeare.
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M.D. of Golden Centre

The last meeting of Council of the M. D. of Golden Centre No. 272 was held at N.E. 12-30 5-4, on Saturday, March 6, 1926.

Out-of-office taken by Councilors, Cates, Hoard and Barker. Council called to order by Reeve and business transacted as follows:

Minutes read and confirmed. Correspondence read and disposed of.

Financial statement to date was read and accepted.

Following accounts were paid: Western Municipal News, \$2.00; fee and mileage, \$2.00; B. Cates, \$18.00; B. Morris, \$18.00; P. C. Hoard, \$21.00; Ed. Stewart, \$25.80; F. Barker, \$10.00; R. T. Summers, Retaining Office fee, \$5.00 and rent \$5.00; Golden Centre S. D. rent for nomination, \$40.00; Ralph Greene, salary Jan. and Feb., \$20.00; message, \$5; Frank Barker, mileage, selling house under seizure, \$4.00; Royal Bank service stamps, \$1.00; Dr. Keller, Medical officer fee, \$25.00; Hill Insurance Board, to apply on 1915-1922 assessment, \$500.00.

Ed. Stewart was appointed Reeve and Frank Barker Deputy Reeve.

Ralph Greene was appointed Secretary-Treasurer at a salary of \$1500.00 per annum and \$10.00 per month was allowed for office expense.

J. C. Cottrell was appointed Auditor at a salary of \$1000.00 per annum.

The following resolution was passed to be presented at the Annual Convention of Assn. of Municipal Districts: Resolved that Section 42 of the M. D. Act be amended by striking out the words "two" and "afternoon" where they occur in the fourth line and inserting the words "ten" and "forenoon" therefor.

Reeve or Deputy Reeve and Sec-Treas. were empowered to sign all cheques, notes, etc., and the Sec-Treas. to endorse all cheques, drafts, etc., for deposit, Reeve or Deputy Reeve and

Sec-Treas. were empowered to forward all collection of taxes which have been levied for the Province, Hill Insurance Board and School District.

Council adjourned until Wednesday, April 7, 1926 to meet at N.E. 13-30 5-4, at 10.00 a.m.

Ralph Greene, Sec-Treas.

Letter to Editor

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solves, merchandising our own produce. We have come to the turning of the ways, and in order that we may measure up to the new responsibility, it is quite plain that we must remodel our system of organization; make it more modern and up to date. "We must learn that we require better economic teaching than was necessary before we assumed these new responsibilities.

In the beginning, twenty-five years ago, when our activities were mostly of a social nature, the plan of organizing each province separate was quite all right, but we have passed that stage of development and must if we are to succeed in our undertakings, develop better leadership, and that can only be done by a more thorough economic schooling of our young men and women who are to become leaders of tomorrow.

Therefore, the farmers of Western Canada in a joint Convention recently held in Saskatoon decided to organize under the name of the United Farmers of Western Canada, Saskatchewan Section, Manitoba Section, and Alberta Section.

The United Farmers of Western Canada will be the trunk of the tree and the Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta Sections will be large branches growing from the one big trunk while the local lodge will be the little branches growing from the large ones.

It will be seen that this is a plan to co-ordinate our efforts, something that has been lacking in the past. Under the new plan the trunk of the tree will direct all educational work, therefore, it will be uniform which experience has taught us is necessary in order to secure the best results.

In the past we have had three schools of economic thought being taught in Western Canada.

Old Time Dance after show Friday, March 12. Good Orchestra.

F. G. Bliss has a supply of 1926 license plates on hand. Owners of cars may obtain same from him on application.

C. A. Gilders of Tessier, was a town visitor during the fore part of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wood left yesterday for Calgary where they will spend a few days.

The United Church

Sunday, March 14, service at 7.30 p.m. Subject: "John Knox, Scotland's Greatest Preacher." The address will be illustrated by 30 beautiful lantern slides. Appropriate music. Everybody welcome.

Arthur Johnson returned to town on Monday after spending a few days in Calgary on business.

Frank Thayer, who has been spending the winter months at Portland, Ore. and other points on the pacific coast, returned to the district last week.

The Ladies Altar Society of the Sacred Heart Church will hold a whist drive and dance in the Masonic Hall, Oyen, on Easter Monday, April 5.

Under the auspices of All Saint's Women's Guild a sale of home cooking will be held in the Masonic Building on Saturday, April 3. Afternoon tea served.

The forage car, which arrived on the siding here, yesterday, was visited by a large number of farmers of the district, both yesterday afternoon and this morning.

One in Saskatchewan, one in Manitoba and the other in Alberta. The effect of this became visible when we began to send representatives to Ottawa to represent agriculture from the three Western Provinces. Each representative was trying to represent the opinion back home, and to our horror we learn that we have not got a United delegation in the House of Commons fighting for the common interest of agriculture which is necessary if we expect to win our fight for economic justice.

Then again when we saw it was necessary for us to organize a new marketing system we found we had in each Province a separate plan and none of them workable, so we had to send to another country for a person who had the proper training before we could even start a co-operative system of marketing which is ample proof that our system of organization, education and co-operation is in need of a thorough overhauling.

We must include in our new plan the importance of co-ordination and this can only be done by directing the education on economic problems from one central body.

As farmers we should profit by the experiences of other industrial groups. The manufacturers for instance, have taught us a very valuable lesson. They have organized one plan that has proven to be successful in every detail. Therefore we should take a leaf from their book and follow the trail they have blazed for us. If we will it shall lead us out of the wilderness of bankruptcy, poverty and misery, into the fertile plains of prosperity and plenty.

Charles H. Harris.

The Whitlock-Morrison rinks won the final game of the double rink knock out competition, played last night. At the end of ten ends the total score was tied, Whitlock scoring 3 on his extra end, while Morrison was one down.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Colston, who have been spending the winter in Dr. Heller, returned to Oyen this morning, leaving later in the day for their farm near Haven.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kerr who have been spending the winter months in Ontario, returned to Oyen last Monday.

Under instructions from Mr. Newton Small, B. H. Dial will sell at public auction, horses, farm implements, household goods etc. at the fair, Saturday, Sale takes place on the northeast quarter of 15 26 2, (12 miles south and 2 miles west of Sibbald and 5 miles north of Acadia Valley) on Wednesday, March 24, commencing at 12 noon. Lunch will be served.

The March meeting of All Saint's Women's Guild was held last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Fred Raddatz, the ladies being conveyed there by sleighs. Card table covers, made by members at a cost not exceeding 50 cents, were judged by Mrs. Holt, who awarded the prize to Mrs. Raddatz. Each member donated a cover to the Guild. It was decided to hold a sale of home cooking and serve afternoon tea on Thursday, April 3 and hold a whist drive and dance on Saturday, April 8.

LANFINE LOCALS

We are informed that quite a large number attended the Coal Heavers Dance last Friday evening, and all spent an enjoyable evening.

Mrs. C. Godfrey and Eva, returned from Calgary where they have been spending the winter months.

Mr. D. Macdonald, had another two horses killed on Sunday, by the train, two other having been killed about two weeks ago.

The meeting in the Forage Car on Monday afternoon, was well attended and the Lectures much appreciated.

Another Coal Heavers Dance is announced for March 19, Excel Orchestra.

Rotary Club Convention

The district convention of Rotarians, comprising all clubs in Western Canada, will be held at Banff, Alberta, May 13, 14 and 15 next.

Records at Banff Broken

Attendance at Banff National Park in 1925 broke all records according to Superintendent Stronach. The park revenue amounted to \$140,000 during the season, and more than 67,000 people registered at the hotels. Nearly 80,000 people passed through the east entrance of the park alone, which was 47 per cent greater than the previous year.

Recent Alberta Butter Winnings

In the all-Canada butter competition held recently at Winnipeg, Alberta, butter exhibitors carried off a total of twenty of the sixty prizes offered, in competition with other provinces of the dominion.

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Here and There

Nels Nelson, world's amateur ski champion, gave an exhibition at Shawbridge recently under the auspices of the Montreal Ski Club. Mr. Nelson holds the record for the longest ski jump in the world, either by amateur or professional ski experts. At the Revelstoke, B.C., ski jump he attained a distance of 610 feet, two years ago. This has never been equalled or attained before or since.

The Prince of Wales spent a day inspecting the British Industries Fair at Birmingham, England, recently. When the course of his tour he came to the important exhibit of the Canadian Pacific Railway, he stopped, smiled and exclaimed, "Good old C.P.R." On leaving the Prince's verdict was, "It is a splendid fair and I hope it meets with the success it deserves."

Public Sale of Lands by the Municipal District of Bertawan No. 271

Under The Tax Recovery Act 1922.

Public Notice is hereby given that under the provisions of The Tax Recovery Act 1922, and amendments thereto, The Municipal District of Bertawan No. 271, will offer for sale, by public auction at the Municipal Office, Sibbald, on Saturday, May 15, 1926, at 2 p.m., the following lands:

	Sec.	Tp.	Rge.	M.
N.W.	10	27	1	4
N.W.	31	27	1	4
S.W.	32	27	1	4
S.E.	12	27	2	4
N.W.	12	27	2	4
N.W.	10	28	2	4
N.W.	10	28	2	4
N.E.	10	28	2	4
N.E.	10	27	3	4
N.E.	10	27	3	4
S.W.	17	27	3	4
N.W.	20	27	3	4
S.W.	35	27	3	4
N.W.	10	28	3	4
N.W.	20	28	3	4
N.W.	18	29	3	4
N.W.	32	29	3	4
N.E.	32	29	3	4
N.W.	21	26	8	4
N.W.	18	29	2	4
N.E.	12	29	1	1

The above described land will be offered for sale subject to a reserved bid.

Dated at Sibbald this 6th day of February, 1926.

W. Linklater

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LOST—Five weeks ago, either in Oyen or on trail, one diamond and pearl ring. Suitable reward offered to finder who returns same to office of the Oyen News.

FOR SALE—A quantity of tame buckwheat. Apply: A. M. McQuarrie, Oyen, Alta.